

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FAX SHEET OF RECEIPT OF NONCOMPLIANCE
INFORMATION REPORT SUBMITTED UNDER 49 CFR PART 573**

Assigned Recall No. 03V-031 by the
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

Part 573 Report Date: February 4, 2003

Date Faxed: February 6, 2003

MANUFACTURER: Toyota Motor North America, Inc.

MANUFACTURER CONTACT: Mr. Chris Tinto, Director

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SUBJECT: 5,878 Toyota 2003 Lexus GX470 vehicles manufactured from October 28, 2002 through January 22, 2003, fail to comply with the requirements of Part 567, "Certification." The incorrect Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) data was printed on the label.

This is an acknowledgment for this recall. A formal acknowledgment letter will be written if we have additional comments or concerns.

Under 49 U.S.C. § 30112(a), it is illegal for anyone, including a manufacturer, distributor, dealer, or retailer to sell an item of equipment or vehicle that fails to comply with all applicable Federal motor vehicle safety standards.

Please provide us with a draft owner notification letter for our review before mailing to consumers.

As stated in Part 573.6, submission of the first of six consecutive quarterly status reports is required within one month after the close of the calendar quarter in which notification to purchasers occurs. As stated in your report, owner notification is expected to begin during March 2003. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due by April 30, 2003.

If you have any questions, please call:



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